

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Previously Presented) An installation comprising a machine for the production of tablets, where the machine has at least one enclosure wherein the installation includes means for injecting a gas into the enclosure and to distribute it throughout the enclosure, said means being arranged so as to control the temperature of the gas at a predetermined location upstream of the enclosure in order to ensure that the temperature of the gas in the enclosure reaches a predetermined value.
2. (Previously Presented) An installation according to claim 1, wherein said means are arranged to control the temperature of the gas at the predetermined location, in order to ensure that the temperature at this location reaches a predetermined value.
3. (Previously Presented) An installation according to claim 1, wherein said means are arranged to cool the gas.
4. (Previously Presented) An installation according to claim 1, wherein said means are arranged to heat the gas.
5. (Previously Presented) An installation according to claim 1, wherein said means are arranged to control the relative humidity of the gas.
6. (Previously Presented) An installation according to claim 1, wherein said means include at least one particle filter.
7. (Currently Amended) An installation according to claim 1, wherein said means include at least ~~one~~ one fan placed upstream or downstream of the enclosure.
8. (Previously Presented) An installation according to claim 1, wherein the enclosure includes devices for shaping of the tablets.

9. (Previously Presented) An installation according to claim 1, wherein the enclosure includes a motor.

10. (Previously Presented) An installation according to claim 1, wherein the enclosure includes an electronic device.

11. (Previously Presented) An installation according to claim 1, wherein the enclosures are at least two in number, and the machine includes means for injecting a gas into each enclosure and to distribute it.

12. (Currently Amended) An installation according to claim 11, wherein ~~it~~ said installation includes gas conduits arranged to feed gas to the enclosures using a parallel arrangement.

13. (Previously Presented) An installation according to any of claims 11 or 12, wherein the means are partially common to the enclosures.

14. (Previously Presented) An installation according to claim 1, wherein said means include at least one gas conduit connected so that it can be removed from the enclosure.

15. (Currently Amended) An installation according to claim 1, wherein ~~it~~ said installation includes at least one stopper to interrupt the flow of gas between the enclosure and the remainder of the installation.

16. (Previously Presented) An installation according to claim 1, wherein said means are arranged to control a flow of gas associated with the enclosure by allowing the choice of one flow from various non-zero flow values.

17. (Previously Presented) An installation according to claim 1, wherein said means include a diffusion box placed in the enclosure, having at least two openings for entry of the gas into the enclosure.

18. (Previously Presented) An installation according to claim 17, wherein the openings are located on different faces of the diffusion box.

19. (Previously Presented) An installation according to claim 1, wherein the tablets include a substance for therapeutic or cosmetic use.

20. (Previously Presented) An installation according to claim 1, wherein the tablets include Ibuprofen.

21. (Previously Presented) A process for the production of tablets, wherein gas is injected into an enclosure that forms part of a machine for the production of tablets, and is distributed throughout the enclosure, and in that the temperature of the gas is controlled at a predetermined location upstream of the enclosure in order to ensure that the temperature of the gas in the enclosure reaches a predetermined value.

22. (Previously Presented) A process according to claim 21, wherein the temperature of the gas is controlled at the predetermined location in order to ensure that the temperature at this location reaches a predetermined value.

23. (Currently Amended) A method for the production of tablets, wherein a gas is fed into an enclosure that forms part of a machine for the production of tablets, and distributed throughout the enclosure, wherein the temperature of the gas is controlled at a predetermined location upstream of the enclosure, in order to ensure that the temperature of the gas in the enclosure reaches a predetermined value.

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